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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR DISCOUNT LOAN: GOSS INTERNATIONAL DIV.,
MGD GRAPHIC SYSTEM, INC.

REF : STATE 162411

1. EMBASSY PERCEIVES NO POLITICAL, COMMERCIAL OR OTHER REASONS
EXIM BANK SHOULD NOT CONSIDER SUBJECT LOAN REQUEST.

2. UNITED DAILY NEWS IS THE LARGEST PRIVATELY-OWNED PAPER
IN TAIWAN, WITH A CURRENT CIRCULATION OF 520,000. SUBSCRIPTION
GROWTH HAS BEEN ABOUT 18-20 PERCENT ANNUALLY OVER LAST FIVE
YEARS. DEBT-EQUITY RATIO OF 3 TO 1 SUGGESTS WEAK
CAPITAL STRUCTURE (COMMON TO MANY ROC ENTERPRISES),
ALTHOUGH REAPPRAISAL OF COMPANY'S LAND AND BUILDINGS
TO REFLECT CURRENT MARKET VALUES WOULD RESULT IN
BETTER RATIO.
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